

**STATE OF NEW MEXICO
ENERGY, MINERALS AND NATURAL RESOURCES DEPARTMENT
OIL CONSERVATION DIVISION**

IN THE MATTER OF THE HEARING
CALLED BY THE OIL CONSERVATION
DIVISION FOR THE PURPOSE OF
CONSIDERING:

CASE NO. 10158

APPLICATION OF MORGAN RICHARDSON
OPERATING COMPANY FOR COMPULSORY
POOLING, SAN JUAN COUNTY, NEW MEXICO.

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PRE-HEARING STATEMENT

OIL CONSERVATION DIVISION

This Prehearing Statement is submitted by Bradford C. Berge, as required by the Oil Conservation Division.

APPEARANCES OF PARTIES

APPLICANT

Morgan Richardson Operating Company
c/o Robert C. Hawley _____
Hawley & Vanderwerf _____
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Denver, Colorado 80202 _____

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name, address, phone and
contact person

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OPPOSITION OR OTHER PARTY

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ATTORNEY

STATEMENT OF CASE

APPLICANT

Morgan Richardson Operating Corporation seeks an order pooling all mineral interests in the Basin-Fruitland Coal Gas Pool underlying the N/2 of Section 17, Township 28 North, Range 8 West, forming a standard 320-acre gas spacing and proration unit for said pool to be dedicated to a well to be drilled at a standard coal gas well location in the NE/4 of Section 17.

OPPOSITION OR OTHER PARTY

(Please make a concise statement of the basis for opposing this application or otherwise state the position of the party filing this statement.)

PROPOSED EVIDENCE

APPLICANT

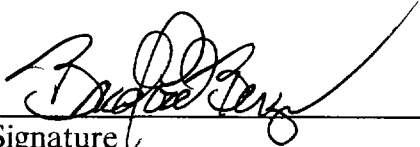
| WITNESSES (Name and expertise) | EST. TIME | EXHIBITS |
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| Brian Lewis or Pete Gowan, (Landman) | 15 Min. | Approximately 5 |
| Dana Delventhal or Bruce Delventhal (Petroleum Engineer) | 10 Min. | Approximately 2 |

OPPOSITION

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PROCEDURAL MATTERS

None



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